

DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

DANIELSON

Many relatives and friends gathered at her home on High street Thursday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Margaret McDermott for whom a solemn high mass of requiem was sung at St. James' church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Edward J. Shelley, M. S., being the celebrant and Rev. John Rous, M. S., and Rev. Joseph Mousier, M. S., deacon and sub-deacon. The music of the mass was under the direction of Joseph J. Brennan. Burial was in Holy Cross cemetery, the committal service conducted by Rev. Father Rous. The four sons of Mrs. McDermott and two cousins acted as bearers. There were many beautiful floral pieces and numbers of spiritual offerings. Louis E. Kennedy was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Peter Bourque, 57, is dead at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Maynard in Waukegan, where Mr. Bourque, a native of Canada, has been a resident for many years.

One of the most enjoyable occasions of the many such in the history of McGregor corps, W. R. C., was that which marked the annual inspection on Wednesday evening, the event held in Odd Fellows' hall. There were many visitors from the relief corps at Putnam and Williamsville, an unusually large delegation being welcomed from the latter city.

The evening's program opened with a supper and was followed by a business meeting and entertainment. Mrs. Betha Morse, department president, was in attendance and also the department inspector, Mrs. Lora Bjurstrom of Norwich. Others who spoke at the meeting were Mrs. Lena Monroe of Putnam and Miss E. Franklin of Danielson. Mrs. Edith L. Jordan presided at the business meeting.

A feature of the evening was the presentation of a comedy, "How the Story Grows by a Case that Happened to Mary Kennedy, Mrs. Flora Kennedy, Mrs. Martin Nichols, Mrs. Hattie Bailey, Mrs. Estella Talbot, Mrs. Ella Greener, Miss Idella Rapp and Mrs. Katherine McCormack."

It is at least of interest to note that burglars who are operating in Boston and vicinity and making a specialty of raiding clothing and dry goods stores are handling their loot in accordance with the clever system used by the burglars who were frightened away from the church company store here in August of last year and who probably were the ones engaged in the modest success in raid at the past month at the local store. The peculiar method of tying up the bundles would indicate that the robbers who are working in Boston are the same as

those who make an occasional run out into this territory.

It was announced following a meeting of the directors of the chamber of commerce Thursday morning that they had voted to recommend that merchants close their places of business on Armistice day, which comes on Saturday, November 11, from noon to 5 p. m. This will be during the period when the parade and principal exercises of the day are to be held. A representative of the chamber of the borough announced Thursday evening, November 10, and will be closed Saturday afternoon and evening.

The following is a list of the new voters who will be entitled to participate in next Tuesday's election:

First district—Van J. Bernier, Octave Caron, George R. Caron, Venerand O. Chartier, George L. Chase, Abraham J. Chase, George W. Couch, Irving R. Couch, Oliver F. Downe, John Delloff, Adolphe Dubreille, Edgide Desautels, Arthur W. Edgdy, Louis E. Gross, Nelson Gauthier, William Gingras, George R. Gingras, Charles W. Hale, Alfred LaBelle, Joseph Mousier, Ira A. McDermott, Charles M. Bonneau, Eustine, Paul Polier, John F. Purvis, Eugene Perreault, George B. Reynolds, Charles C. Reynolds, Harry N. Reynolds, Edgar Reeves, Edward J. Shelley, William H. Stone, Leon Samberski, Emery Saucer, Henry Tewgood, Howard Tillingshast, Joseph Charbonneau, Charles E. Lambert, Elodie, M. Bonneau, Eustine, Brantley Sarah L. Barber, Kathryn Coffey, Ida Caouette, Nellie V. Couch, Mrs. Nellie V. Couch, Jr., Grace A. Downe, Ellen A. Charbonneau, A. Tait Hope, Charles R. Kibbee, Joseph B. Lyon, John W. Lilly, Willis I. Lyon, John L. Leader, James McNaley, James Ray, Benjamin Rivals, Arthur Requier, Thomas Ray, Henry W. Slater, Robert Stockton, Elmer L. Bliven, Tessie Baranski, Annie E. Campbell, Cora E. Cogswell, Ida F. Lyon, Ida A. Lilley, Bertha LaFortane, Anastasia L. Lannon, Mary J. Osborne, Anna Peckie, Emma I. Perkins, Katherine F. Page, Ellen F. Wallen, Margaret Wakefield, Della W. Rivers, Grace A. Buffington.

Second District—Charles I. Button, Albert Charbonneau, A. Tait Hope, Charles R. Kibbee, Joseph B. Lyon, John W. Lilly, Willis I. Lyon, John L. Leader, James McNaley, James Ray, Benjamin Rivals, Arthur Requier, Thomas Ray, Henry W. Slater, Robert Stockton, Elmer L. Bliven, Tessie Baranski, Annie E. Campbell, Cora E. Cogswell, Ida F. Lyon, Ida A. Lilley, Bertha LaFortane, Anastasia L. Lannon, Mary J. Osborne, Anna Peckie, Emma I. Perkins, Katherine F. Page, Ellen F. Wallen, Margaret Wakefield, Della W. Rivers, Grace A. Buffington.

Third District—Fenner E. Burlingame, Frank B. Nason, Clarence W. Roth Anthony Shippes, Gladys Andrews, Alice Andrews, Grace E. Hill, Viola Prade, Ruth A. Roth, Lula Sands, Ellis E. Smith, Ada I. Shippes, Eleatha Sheldon, Lila Soule, Clara Williams, Emily J. Burlingame, Ada Place, Edith Theurgult, Ida F. Wade and Gladys Wade.

Election workers who are being mobilized to assist at next Tuesday's balloting have a long day's work out for them. The eight-hour rule will not apply. The polls are to open at 6 a. m. and will remain open until 6 p. m.—a stretch of twelve hours. Then the counters will take up the work and labor until complete tabulations are made. Returns will be made by districts and compiled here as voting will go on in three districts of the town on Tuesday.

Thomas A. Beckett will have charge of a meeting of the Westfield club this Friday evening when the subject will be Christianizing the Economic Problems. Miss Carrie Lewis will have charge of the refreshment serving and the social program will be conducted by Miss Corinne Paine.

A committee of Rose of Lima council, K. of C., is planning to receive election returns at the council's rooms next Tuesday evening.

Having experienced its first defeat of the season the Killingly High school team has set to work to play better football than ever. Its showing has been very good this season and it should win a

large majority of the contests on its schedule.

"King" George Jacques of East Killingly is among the successful game hunters of this territory and he is out with dog and gun when ever occasion offers. James Bacon has returned from a visit at New York and at Atlantic Highlands, N. J.

In the first year after its establishment the savings department of the Danielson Trust company has grown to an excess of \$250,000. It was announced Mrs. E. H. Keach will have members of the Civic federation at her home for a meeting this (Friday) afternoon.

Deacon and Mrs. A. C. Greene have returned from a visit with relatives in Belmont, Mass.

Postmaster Raymond E. Allen and Miss Frances W. Danielson of this place were numbered among the attendees at the state Sunday school convention at Torrington Thursday.

PUTNAM

Announcement was made here Thursday of another important road rebuilding operation to be undertaken in Windham county by the state highway department. H. H. Davenport, supervisor of state highways in Windham county, stated that work is to be undertaken in the very near future on the reconstruction of approximately four miles of state highway between Hampton Hill and Clark's Corners, on the route from Danielson to Williamsville. John H. Pitts of the state road forces working on the Grovesendale improvement now under way is to move his equipment to the new location as soon as the work on which he is now engaged is completed.

The section between Hampton Hill and Clark's Corners that is to receive attention is part of a trunk line highway and already macadamized road, but it is to be rebuilt to bring it into better condition to withstand the heavy traffic of the route.

Ground was broken Thursday afternoon for the extension to the First National bank building, and the work marked the actual beginning of the undertaking of remodeling the bank so as to make it one of the finest houses of any financial institution in the smaller cities of Connecticut. Estimates of the cost of the work to be done run from \$65,000 to \$100,000. In the operation that was begun Thursday afternoon a local contractor will remove the narrow grass plot at the north side of the bank on Front street and make the cellar excavation, which will go down to the level of the present cellar. No great time will be required for this particular part of the work. The banking institutions occupying the building are as yet undisturbed in their quarters, which they are to vacate as the reconstruction progresses, and will be temporarily housed in the old Thompson bank quarters on Union street.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Elliott of Thompson have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Addeman Elliott, to Charles Van Brunt Cushman, son of Dr. and the late Mrs. Alton S. Cushman of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Cushman was Miss Sarah Hoppin of Providence. Miss Elliott is a graduate of the Westover school and Mr. Cushman a student at Harvard university.

Scores of Putnam property owners failed to file their lists of taxable property in time to escape the 10 per cent penalty that the assessors are obligated to impose upon them for their negligence, for such it may be regarded in the majority of instances, although there are those who purposely fail to file, preferring to have the assessors' 10 per cent. their last year's list, which also may have been 10 per cent. higher in order to escape the necessity of making oath to a list prepared by themselves. The assessors will be engaged for the next two months with preparation of statistical matter that will enter into the making of the new grand list of the town, which will be ready prior to the sitting of the board of relief at the opening of February.

At a meeting of Quinebaug lodge of Masons at Masonic temple on Grove street Thursday evening the third degree was conferred on a class of candidates. Prior to the working of the degree, a supper was served by members of Jessamine chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. Thursday evening's work precedes the annual meeting of Quinebaug lodge and the election in the near future of officers for another year.

Construction of the sewer to be run

from the Day Kimball hospital to the river is under way and will be completed late in the fall. Sewer construction work also is under way in the Fawcett street section of the city. In addition to these activities on the part of the city, the highway department is engaged in cleaning up its late season street work.

Eastford's turn for political rallying comes this (Friday) evening and in that distant corner of the county the democrats will turn out strong. Their rally is to follow the good old-fashioned style, and there is to be a parade as well as addresses, which residents of surrounding towns are invited to hear.

Putnam's Chamber of Commerce is to be invited to give its attention to the proposition of a concern engaged in the manufacture of glass caskets. This concern has expressed a desire to locate in this city, providing suitable concessions and co-operation is forthcoming. It is understood that the concern already has several factories in operation in different parts of the country, but none in this section of New England.

There is every indication that State Treasurer G. Harold Gilpatrick will receive a big complimentary vote in this home city as well as an excess of votes over his fellow candidates on the republican ticket in towns hereabouts. Mr. Gilpatrick is one of the best known residents of Windham county and among his great number of friends numbers scores who are not of his political party but who will support him at the polls next Tuesday. This is indicated daily by voters who volunteer expression of their intention to vote for him.

Mrs. Herbert Smith, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is resting comfortably and on Thursday was considered as nearly out of danger.

Members of the fire department who have ordered new uniforms to be worn in the Armistice day parade in this city

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REPUBLICANS REDUCED N'T'L DEBT THREE BILLIONS, SAYS FREEMAN



HON. RICHARD P. FREEMAN

(Special to The Bulletin)

Putnam, Nov. 2.—An enthusiastic rally was held this evening in Odd Fellows' hall under the auspices of the Putnam Woman's Republican club. Its president, Miss Katherine Byrne, presided and the principal speaker was Congressman Richard P. Freeman of New London. Others who addressed the assembly were State Treasurer G. Harold Gilpatrick and Mrs. Marian Blake Campbell of Hartford.

Congressman Freeman was introduced by Miss Byrne as "our present and future congressman."

Following his introductory remarks Congressman Freeman declared his contention to confine his address to a discussion of the 67th congress—a republican congress and what it has accomplished.

"I have heard and so have you," said Mr. Freeman, "criticisms that congress was doing nothing. There was endless talk and maneuvering, there was tremendous delay on matters that could be

expected arrival of them within the next few days."

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDermott were at Danielson Thursday attending the funeral of Mr. McDermott's mother, Mrs. Margaret McDermott.

Dr. Edward P. Perry is to be marshal of the Armistice day parade in this city.

Delay in the arrival of some of the materials needed in slowing up work on construction of the addition to St. Mary's parochial school.

Louis E. Law and Charles M. Dean are the Putnam members of the jury that has been drawn to hear cases to be tried in the superior court for Windham county during the month of November.

Many citizens have found time this week to pause a minute to watch the steeples which are engaged in repainting the tall steeple on the Congregational church.

Construction of a large garage for the accommodation of its trucks is being considered by the Manhasset Manufacturing company.

Attorney Charles L. Torrey was in Hartford Wednesday on a business trip.

Vaudeville features at the shows at the Bradley theatre on Thursday added to the pleasure of the large audiences.

A little building boom seems to have struck the Killingly avenue section of Putnam. Three new dwellings are planned for that pretty section.

A giant type of switching locomotive, one of the "4400 class," attracted attention while being run through this city en route to Hartford.

Large numbers of parishioners attended the All Souls' day services at St. Mary's church.

Correction should be made of the date of the coming reception into Putnam lodge of Elks of a class of candidates.

The class will be received on Tuesday evening, Nov. 14, not on Tuesday evening of next week.

Cargill council, K. of C., has named committees to make arrangements for the second annual fair of the organization, the attraction set for the early part of the new year.

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings are the session nights for Putnam's evening school.

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settled quickly. But, dear friends, if these same critics could only understand the things that block the speedy accomplishment of a definite programme and a just settlement of affairs; if they could understand all the committee work, conferences and discussions that are necessary to secure even a majority opinion of the more than 400 men who sit in the house of representatives, I am certain they would understand and see the reason for the apparent delay; that would understand that congress really does accomplish big things with comparative speed.

The 67th congress accomplished a wealth of good work whose benefits each one of us is enjoying today. The great national debt, burdensome taxes and many other such tremendous problems faced the 67th congress when summoned in special session by President Harding. The democrats while in power either could not or would not put their house in order and solve them. These problems were left for the republican congress.

Rolling up their sleeves, your officials at Washington, from President Harding down the line pitched into this tangled mess. So much has been accomplished since then that I feel sure if you were really conversant with the facts that you would say, "Let the republican party see us through."

The reduction of the national debt by three billions of dollars thereby saving the country millions in interest has been one of the accomplishments of the republican congress. Because of the nationwide confidence in the ability of the republican officials to give the nation a business administration, liberty bonds have returned to par. Because of this the workingman who patriotically invested his savings is sure of not losing any of his hard earned cash. This republican congress has also abolished the so-called "nuisance" taxes, the obnoxious surtax that was diverting money from our manufacturing industries has been reduced and innumerable other pieces of beneficial legislation was passed.

You ask how could all this revenue amounting to billions be cut off and the government pay its bills. It was possible through the reduction of the personnel of the army and navy, expenditures were rigidly scrutinized by congress and no appropriations were passed until their absolute need was determined through investigation by congress.

The budget bill passed by a republican congress has also resulted in tremendous savings. The nation today has its budget system for expenditures just the same as any great corporation or big business. It has literally saved millions of the people's money. It was this budget bill that a republican congress passed and President Wilson vetoed. It was re-enacted and immediately approved by President Harding.

The congressman also told his audience of the republican legislation that has named congress in the last session of benefit to women and children in the home, the school and factory; for farmers and for labor. "All of this legislation has combined to make for better American homes and to make America a better nation in which to dwell. We of the republican party invite all voters, men and women, to inspect and study the party record, both in Washington and in Connecticut. We are confident that after such scrutiny what we have done will meet with your full approval and that on next Tuesday, rain or shine, you will go to the polls and vote the straight republican ticket."

State Treasurer G. Harold Gilpatrick of Putnam in his talk spoke of the state ticket as being composed of thorough

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business men each of whom had made an enviable record in his own business and who could be trusted with the handling of the state affairs. Mr. Gilpatrick in touching on the state debt admitted that it was \$15,000,000 and said that Mr. Fitzgerald had made no false statement when he said that. But Mr. Fitzgerald has not told half the story, said Mr. Gilpatrick, he neglected to say that through the good judgment of the republican officials the state has created a sinking fund that will take up these bonds a maturity and leave a balance besides. The speaker referred to Connecticut as a great corporation with its annual meeting on next Tuesday at which the stockholders—the voters of Connecticut—will elect their directors and he hopes that as the present officers had given satisfaction they would be returned to office.

Mrs. Campbell in her address appealed to the women to hold to their principles and help in putting into effect the republican party.

Congressman Freeman previous to speaking here spoke at a republican rally in North Grovesendale where he was received with enthusiasm by a large gathering.

ASHFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chapman of New London who has been spending a few days at the Oaks returned home on Saturday.

Earl Poole of Wallingford was home over the Sabbath.

Mrs. Ella Greene enjoyed an auto trip through Putnam, Webster and Worcester, on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pitts and daughter, Josephine, are in Hartford for a few days.

Mrs. Maher is in New York for a visit.

Vice Crusader Sued For \$65,000



John S. Sumner, head of the Society for the Suppression of Vice, and successor of the late Anthony N. Comstock, the most celebrated raiding since Mosby, is having troubles of his own lately. Mr. Sumner raised a storm of protest from writers that could be heard from coast to coast, when he began his activities against concerns circulating books he thought "not nice." As a result he is being sued for \$65,000 damages. Charges have been brought by Bond & Liveright, publishers; Miss Mary H. Mark, librarian, who alleges false arrest for delivering one of the books criticized by Sumner while Thomas Seltzer, publisher, is the third complainant.



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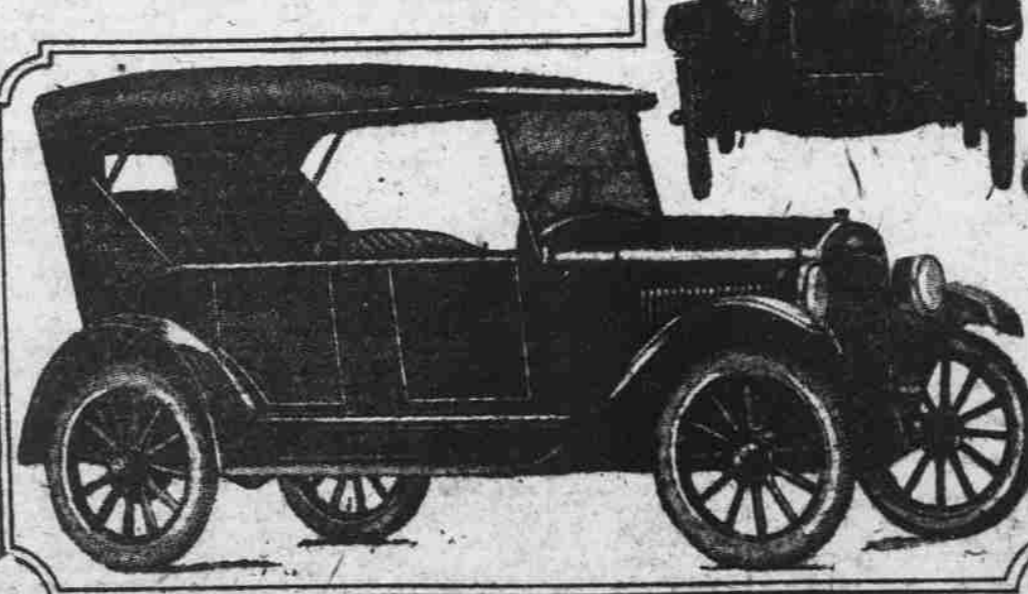
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